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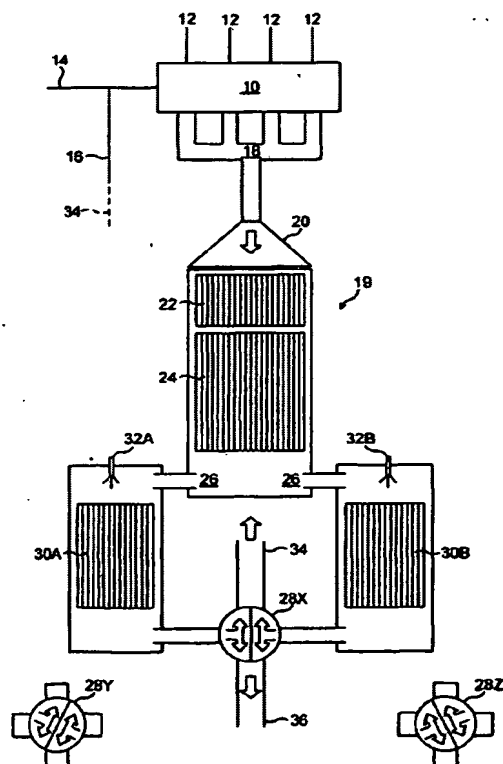
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(54) Title: **TREATMENT OF NO_x SORBER REGENERATION GAS**



(57) **Abstract:** A method of treating an exhaust gas of a lean-burn re-
ciprocating engine comprises sorbing NO_x on at least one NO_x sorber
(30A; 30B) when the exhaust gas is lean, intermittently contacting the
at least one NO_x sorber with an agent effective to convert NO_x to N₂,
thereby to regenerate the at least one NO_x sorber and feeding effluent
of said intermittent contacting step to the engine inlet (14).